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Ladies and Gentlemen:

SUBJECT: Audit Report on Follow-up Audit of Project QUEST, Inc.

The City Internal Audit Department is pleased to attach for your review the report for the Follow-up Audit of Project QUEST, Inc. (Project QUEST) achieved considerable progress in implementing the recommendations observed in the March 2003 audit of Project QUEST.

The audit disclosed that of the 17 recommendations included in the prior audit, 16 were implemented and one was not implemented. The one recommendation not fully implemented dealt with the timely execution of contracts prior to the start of work for contracted services. The City Management's Corrective Action Plan indicates that procedures are now in place that requires contracts to be executed prior to the start date of the contract.

We appreciate the cooperation and assistance extended to our auditors by the Department of Community Initiatives staff during the course of this audit. Please feel free to contact us to discuss the observations in this report.

Respectfully submitted,

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Interim City Auditor

Enclosures

cc: Leticia Vacek, City Clerk

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